

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT**

Agriculture & Cooperation Department – Procurement of Maize under Minimum Support Price during Khariff 2019-20 through State Nodal Agency - Appointment of Telangana State MARKFED as State Nodal Agency for procurement of Maize under Minimum Support Price and Exemption of Market Fee – Orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND CO-OPERATION (MKTG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 494

Dated: 21-11-2019

Read:-

From the Managing Director, TS MARKFED, Hyderabad,
Lr. Rc. No.720/P&M/MAIZE/Khariff/2019-20, Dated 15.11.2019.

ORDER:

In the Letter read above, the Managing Director, TS MARKFED, Hyderabad has informed that the maize has cultivated in the Telangana State 3,91,760 ha. and as per the crop estimates report the yield is 3.45 Mt's per ha and the estimated production is 13,51,572 Mt's and the expected Procurement is 6,75,786 Mt's. He has informed that the District Collectors, Nizamabad and Warangal has requested that the Private traders are not buying the totals stocks available in the open market and requested to open Maize procurement centres to implement the MSP in the interest of farmers.

2. Government after careful examination of the matter, here by nominate TS MARKFED as Nodal agency for procurement of Maize during the Khariff Market Season 2019-20 under Minimum Support Price @ Rs.1760/- per quintal as declared by the Government of India for the Marketing Year 2019-20 in the State and the State Government shall reimburse the loss if any incurred by the Nodal Agency for procurement of Maize. Further, Government here by exempt the Market fee and all the state duties/ taxes in respect of MSP operations on Maize to implement the MSP operations during the Kharif season 2019-20 only in the interest of farmers to get the remunerative prices for the above commodity under PSS / MSP in relaxation of section 12 of Telangana (AP & LS) Markets Act, 1966 in exercise of powers conferred under section 35 of Telangana (AP & LS) Markets Act, 1966.

3. The Director of Agricultural Marketing, Telangana State, Hyderabad and the Managing Director, TS MARKFED, Telangana State, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

**C.PARTHA SARATHI,
APC & PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

To

The Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hyderabad.

The Managing Director, TS MARKFED, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The PA/OSD to Minister (Agriculture, Cooperation, Marketing, Food & Civil supplies and Consumer Affairs)

The P.S. to APC & Principal Secretary to Government (A&C) Department.

All the District Collectors/Jont Collectors/ District Marketing Officers/ District Managers, MARKFED.

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